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In re Application of: Michael GRILL et al.  
 Application No.: 10/523,346  
 Filed: September 2, 2005  
 For: METHOD AND DEVICE FOR SIGNALING INFORMATION RELEVANT FOR  
 THE OPERATION OF A MOTOR VEHICLE

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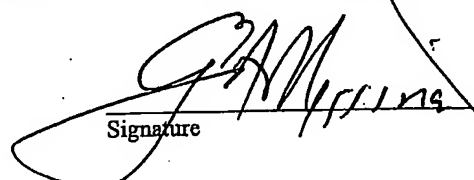
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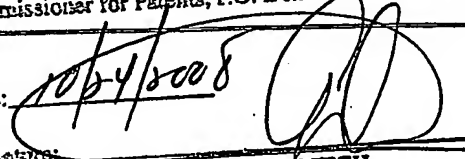
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